hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as first class mail in an TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3700 . envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 on August 23, 2001 Date of Deposit Michael P. Chu, Reg. No. 37,112 ame of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative Date of Signature Case No. <u>5658-729</u> IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: Daniel L. Poole Robert N. Poole Serial No: 09/451,580 Examiner: W. Berry Filed: November 30, 1999 Group Art Unit: 3723 For: CLAMP DEVICE PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a)) Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Dear Sir: This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated March 23, 2001 for a period of two month(s). \boxtimes Applicant is: a small entity, verified statement is: attached already filed other than small entity

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Extension <u>Months</u>	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity
One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110 \$390 \$890 \$1,390 \$1,890	\$55 \$195 \$445 \$695 \$945

Fee Payment

\boxtimes	Attached is a check for \$390 for the Petition fee.	
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this	
	Petition is attached.	
\boxtimes	Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Depos	
	Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.	

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: _____ August 23, 2001

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